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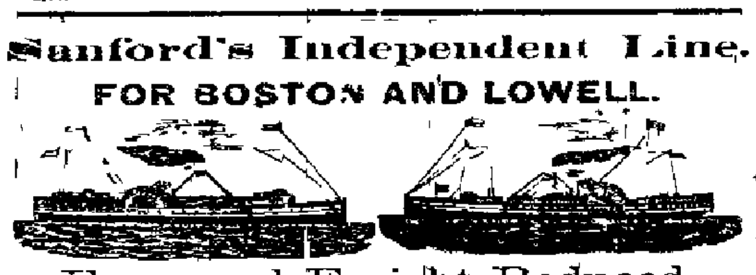

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A pink tinted gauze veil is now quite fashionable

Scant skirts are slowly but surely going out of style.

A Wisconsin dairyman asks for information about the "cremation" business.

Women are now admitted to fifty American colleges.

Miss Smiley is in favor of the temperance movement and opposed to smiles

Wood carving as a "profession" for women is under discussion.

The size of ladies' lockets increase every season.

Circumstances indicate that the accused Stoning on murderer will not be set at liberty.

M. Janoc swears that he never brought an action for damages against Mme. [illegible] Jamais

Fertinas are all the rage. The handsomest are of lace, and appear to fine advantage over a light silk.

Instead of a braid the ladies wear a bunch of curls at the back of the head. This is the latest style.

The saloon keepers of Chicago have agreed to suspend the free lunch system, and many citizens will now have to go to work.

Since the loss of 8000 baskets of champagne in the Europe, the price of "corned" mackerel has declined.—[New Bedford Mercury.

The redingote, as first introduced, is almost entirely out of fashion. Economical matrons say it consumed too much valuable material.

Any loose glove turned inside out, and rubbed with cold cream, re-turned, and worn at night, will whiten the hand.

For evening dress the ladies are wearing gauntlets to their light gloves of [illegible] black velvet, cut in small points at the top.

Two maiden ladies in Kentucky, one aged 81 and the other 83 years, have lately cut their third set of teeth.

The Detroit Free Press claims for that city the distinction of being the only city in the country where Nilsson doesn't own a corner lot.

A Chicago paper has attained its thirtieth birthday, and in all these years, it says it has never had to defend a libel suit. Such happiness!

Now that the Dress Reformers have announced their platform it would be gratifying to hear from the fashionable dressmakers.—Fair play, mesdames!

Miss Minnie Sherman met her lover while on her visit to London, too, and the engagement was contracted at sea [illegible] braving the perils of the briny.

A gentleman friend has two canaries, and has named them "Wheeler" and "Wilson." His reason for these appellations is that neither of them are "singers."

Spilkins went home and tried to tell about the dress reform lecture. Said he, "You ought to have heard her tell about the way women loop up the [illegible] their overshirts!"

It is pleasant to see a young creature come into church, seat herself for admiration, look happy for five minutes, and then wake up to the dismal consciousness that there is a rip in the middle finger of her right glove.

Twenty-seven Nashville ladies determined to practice economy—vowed not to wear anything more expensive than calico dresses to church—and they stuck to it, as none of them have attended church since.

According to the Cincinnati Commercial a New Orleans reporter was found to have a wife at Vicksburg, another in Natchez, another in Cairo, another in Memphis, and they stopped counting and put him in jail.

To persons about to marry, the following stanza upon the signification of the days of the week may prove of service

> Monday for wealth,
> Tuesday for health,
> Wednesday the best day of all
> Thursday for [illegible]
> Friday for losses
> Saturday no luck at all

The famous suit brought by James Fisk, Jr., in 1869, against the Union Pacific Railroad and the Credit Mobilier, and in progress of which the company's safe was burst open with sledge hammers by direction of Judge Barnard, is again occupying the attention of the New York courts. The case, after a long fight in the State courts was transferred to the Federal tribunals, and on the death of Col. Fisk, Lucy D. Fisk, his widow, was made plaintiff as his executrix. Mr. Fisk was owner of six shares of the Union Pacific at the time when a new issue of $12,600,000 worth of stock was made to meet certain contracts made with parties connected with the Credit Mobilier, and known as the Hoxie and Oakes Ames contracts. Fisk subscribed for 20,000 shares of this stock, for which he never paid, as he claims none of the other subscribers ever paid. The relief claimed by Mrs. Fisk is that, as representative, through her husband, of these 20,000 shares she shall have a [illegible] interest in all the profits accruing from this issue, or else that the entire proceeds of the issue shall be turned over to the treasury of the Union Pacific by the parties who she alleges have wrongfully converted the same to their own use and benefit. As the telegram has already stated the case was argued at some length before Judge Blatchford on Thursday, and was finally postponed to allow counsel time for further preparation.

Royalty in Africa partakes of but little of the splendor and magnificence that characterizes it in other latitudes. At the recent coronation of Henshaw Tom Foster, Esq., as ruler of Old Calibar in West Africa, this fact received a marked and curious illustration.—The proceedings took place in a little mission church, in Creek town, in which were gathered all the nobles of the realm, together with a number of European traders. The scene in Creek Town was very lively. Crowds of naked natives paraded the town, beating tom-toms, and swarms of naked urchins of both sexes infested the beach, rushing in and out of the water, yelling and making all sorts of grotesque grimaces. The scene in the church was very amusing. The front seats were occupied by the chiefs of the village, looking very picturesque in their gaudy loin-cloths. Next came the free females, clad in cotton and small loin-cloths, accompanied by three sisters of the King, pretty fair specimens of African beauty, similarly but less sparsely clothed. After the reading of a requisition to Henshaw Tom Foster, Esq., to become King of Old Calibar, the Rev. Mr. Edgerly, senior missionary of the place, ordered the crown placed upon the King's head. The King, clad in frock coat, white vest, trousers and boots, then took his seat in an arm chair, over which was spread what had at once been a dressing gown, made of green damask and lined with red flannel. A loud cheer was given, and the company then adjourned to the palace, where a banquet was spread. The repast was partly native. Each table bore about a ton of "chop" [illegible] idea of hospitality being quantity more than quality. The health of the King and Queen was copiously drunk in "mimbo," and at the conclusion of the feast the company adjourned up stairs to sleep off the effects of this intoxicating beverage.

BRIGHAM YOUNG AS A CHURCH MAN.—A recent letter from Utah gives an account of the effort Brigham Young is making to repair his shattered fortunes by the foundation of an organization known as the Order of Enoch. This order has a somewhat remarkable basis. Mr. Young has discovered that when Enoch was translated, the whole city of Enoch was translated to Heaven with him, on account of the holiness of the people. Now in order to attain the same goodness, and, as is inferred, to secure the same reward, the first thing necessary, as Brigham assures his followers, is that they deed at once all their property in trust to the trustee of the Church of Christ of Latter Day Saints. In this way they are relieved entirely of worldly cares, and are allowed to give their attention to spiritual things. They become, by taking this step, members of the Order of Enoch aforesaid, their labors are under the direction of the Church, and the products of their industry go into the church coffers, to which, it is hardly necessary to add, Brigham continues to hold the keys. In an intelligent community such a project would be considered very "thin" and the membership of the new order would be exceedingly limited. But with the ignorant people among whom the order has been introduced it is reported to have been quite successful, and a large number of persons have deeded over all their own service to enrich the order.

THE VISIT IN HAVANA.—The [illegible] of conversation indicate the formal relations between men and women. These arrangements consist of ten chairs placed opposite to each other, with a chair between at the head, and a sofa at the foot, where the mother sits. The father takes the chair at the head, and the [illegible] on one side and the females on the other, like a Quaker meeting, only they all talk, and very fast, so that the effect of this cross-fire of speech is very bewildering, as each person speaks to his opposite neighbor instead of the one at his side. It is thought very improper if a lady and gentleman sit side by side upon a sofa or in two chairs. Indeed, a Spaniard rises as if insulted if an English or American lady should take a seat near him, for fear of interrupting the conversation of others. Political conversation was in bad taste and only by accident could a foreigner learn anything of the history and present attitude of the two parties who are involved in ceaseless struggles for principles and power.—Galaxy.

Walter L. [illegible] a prominent merchant [illegible] Buckshear, Ga., was recently murdered. The coroner's jury discovered the assassin by causing all the guns in the place to be delivered up to them. [illegible] them was found to be [illegible] and the barrel covered with clotted blood and hair. It belonged to an uncle of the deceased named Robert W. Carpenter. Here is under arrest.

On Wednesday of last week a school mistress in Fairfield township, Iowa, undertook to chastise one of her pupils, a boy [illegible] years of age. The boy [illegible] resistance, and the tide of conflict began to set in against the female discipline, when seizing a heavy chair which was near, she lifted it high over her head, and, with a sweeping "master stroke" brought it down on the devoted head of the recalcitrant student, settling his resistance and his earthly existence at a single blow.

A Western girl, [illegible] had one large [illegible] removed. It was done by making an incision from the knee [illegible] A [illegible] saw was introduced about three inches below the knee, where the [illegible] was sawed off and [illegible] jointed at the ankle. [illegible] was found to be full of small holes [illegible] that it could be pulled apart. A [illegible] of the periosteum was [illegible] bone. The young lady was under the influence of chloroform for three quarters of an hour. She will likely gain strength enough in the limb to use it as freely as the other.

STATE NEWS.

[illegible] Graves has [illegible] master at North [illegible]

The Argus [illegible] clothes line and [illegible] and vicinity.

William [illegible] bruised and his jaw broken [illegible] from a [illegible] land.

[illegible] Walker, who [illegible] injured at the [illegible] improving.

Libby, the supposed [illegible] Illingworthy [illegible] claims are [illegible]

Mr. Albert [illegible] respected [illegible] Vassalboro, died Thursday [illegible] consumption

Calais is trying to get a charter from the Dominion Parliament for a railroad bridge across the St. Croix and St. Stephen [illegible] posing it.

Miss Hannah Worster [illegible] now in her one hundred and [illegible] year, is still in excellent health. She is [illegible] oldest person in York County.

Joseph H. Dowling, Esq., who has for several years held the position of [illegible] in the Educational Department at the State House, has retired from the [illegible]

The old cotton mill at L[illegible] stopped as the work runs on [illegible] machinery will be needed [illegible] mill, which will probably [illegible] September.

A man named George [illegible] of [illegible] Settlement, was discovered Friday morning, near Calais with his neck broken. It is supposed that his death resulted from a fall while in a state of intoxication.

The barn of Daniel Grass in Fort Fairfield, was destroyed by fire last Friday, [illegible] together with four tons of hay, one hundred bushels of grain, wagon, farming tools, etc.

Messrs. Luce & Lumpus of Canton Point, have hauled in from the E. Child farm this winter, 600,000 hemlock and pine lumber, for which they paid on the stump [illegible]

The shipments of boots and shoes from Lewiston and Auburn for the week ending Wednesday, have been 1059 cases, to 1148 for the preceding, and 11[illegible] for the corresponding week last year.

The school census of the children in the village school district in Augusta, shows there are 1,150 children between the ages of four and twenty-one years in the district—being fifty more than returned last year.

The stock of logs on the St. Croix is greatly reduced, there being less than for several years at this season. Some of the mills have only the last winter's cutting to depend upon and must remain inactive until the spring drive is completed.

April 14th, two young men of Kezar Falls, Porter, Walter H. Hidden and Frank Boston, were engaged in repairing or enlarging a barn and they fell, by the staging giving way, on to a heap of rocks and injured themselves, it is feared, severely.

The barn on the premises of J. H. Weston of Skowhegan was destroyed by fire on Friday. Mr. Weston is entirely blind, and immediately a paper was circulated by some of the benevolent citizens and a handsome sum of money was subscribed towards building a new barn.

Friday, April 17th, Mrs. Hannah Farbell of Lebanon, was so severely burned by her clothes taking fire from an open fire place, that death came to her relief twelve hours afterwards. She was 78 years and one month old, and was the mother of twelve children, all of whom are married and living.

Two brothers named Warren, from Rome were arrested in Augusta, Friday. One made his escape, and was pursued by the officer.—The latter warned the fugitive that he should fire on him if he did not stop, but the admonition being unheeded, the officer fired, and when the fellow was captured, it was found that the bullet had grazed his back.

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BURR & ROBINSON,
PROPRIETORS.

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1874.

A FEW WORDS TO OUR FARMERS.

(From the Boston Globe.)

If there is any one opinion more thoroughly grounded in the general mind than another, it is that the healthiest, the pleasantest, and the most independent life is that of the farmer, the reason being, doubtless, that it ought to be. The inference is correct enough, but when one looks the facts in the face, and calls to mind the faces and forms of the agriculturists with whom he has come in contact during his bucolic experiences, he will be constrained to admit that those who drove fat oxen were not always fat, and that those who breathed the fresh air of heaven twelve and sometimes fourteen hours a day were not always models of health. In fact, notwithstanding the advantages of exercise, pure air and pure water, statistics go to show that the farmer has his full share of the ills and often more than those of certain other classes whose peculiar vocations have by popular consent come to be looked upon as "unhealthy." And yet there is no reason why the farmer should not be in reality, in the particular instance of health, all that popular imagination has supposed him to be. The average New England farmer, though knowing exactly how his cattle should be treated, the kind and quality of the food they should eat and how they should be housed and taken care of generally, is either wofully ignorant of the commonest rules of health as applicable to himself or else wofully careless. If of what is known as the "thrifty" class, he very often rises when he should be sleeping, bolts his breakfast of fried pork and potatoes and hastens to the field, works without intermission till noon, then more fried pork, then another five or six hours' work with the scythe, the plough or the hoe, and after that the chores, which not unfrequently include milking from six to fifteen cows. This is frequently performed after dark in the hurried season, the farmer or workmen sitting in the cool night air in their shirt sleeves after having sweated profusely all day in the field. Hundreds of cases of consumption, rheumatism and a score of other diseases are thus induced while the general diet and the hasty manner in which food is disposed of have made the farmers of New England a race of dyspeptics. Eggs in any form are rarely seen upon the table of the family that raises them. They are sent to market. In thousands of families beefsteak is an unknown article of diet. When an ox or a cow is killed, that goes to market, too. Once in a while a sheep is sacrificed to the wants of its owner, but rarely. The great staple is pork, salt, nine-tenths of the year, and fresh for a few meals at the killing season. As a rule, very little milk is consumed by the adults of a farmer's family. That goes for butter and cheese. It is a lamentable truth, but it is a truth, nevertheless, that there is no class of people in the country capable of living so well who live so poorly.

Sometime during the past year the Massachusetts Board of Health, wishing to obtain statistics upon the subject, addressed a large number of circulars to prominent physicians in various parts of the State. One of the questions asked was "What causes tend to injure the health of farmers and their families?" That our agricultural readers may have some idea of what professional men say in regard to the matter, beyond the individual opinion expressed in this article, we quote one or two of the answers made:

"Exposure, too protracted hard work, excessive fatigue, especially in hot weather, overwork, want of recreation, lack of bathing."

"Insufficient and badly cooked food, damp cellars, small bed rooms opening from the kitchen, improper drainage."

"Monotonous hard work, insufficient variety in the kind of food, inferior cooking, too little attention to the ventilation of sleeping apartments."

All the answers received by the Board are but repetitions of the above. The same report shows that dyspepsia exists, as a rule, in a great majority of farmers' families, that of other diseases, rheumatism is the most common, prevailing pulmonary affections and consumption coming next in order. This is a sad showing, but it will doubtless have little effect. Eight farmers out of every ten will insist upon finishing their days on salt pork and according to the twelve hour system because their fathers did so before them, unless they can be made to see their error. And is this at all possible? The next generation — if there is to be any next generation of agriculturists — may be, and very probably will be wiser. Let us most sincerely trust so.

A Washington special to the Boston Advertiser states that there has been much labor performed during the past week in which Speaker Blaine has been very active, looking to a compromise of the currency bill. It is understood that a measure including the following points has been agreed upon by a number of the most prominent leaders on each side. First, free banking on the present basis, with some of the present restrictions on the reserves removed; second, retiring 50 per cent. in greenbacks of the new banking currency issued until the greenbacks are reduced to $300,000,000, the limit at which the retirement shall begin, whether at the present volume or when it has reached $400,000,000; third, redemption of greenbacks in 4½ per cent. bonds. Upon this point one extreme desires 3.65 and the other 5 per cent. Fourth, purchasing 5-20's with greenbacks obtained by process of redemption.

Another special says a motion will be made in the Senate to-day to postpone action on the President's veto of the banking bill until next week, and that it will be carried. Leading inflationists are understood to be willing to vote on the question of passing the bill over the veto without any discussion.

Although Congress has passed a bill for the relief of the sufferers by the overflow of the lower Mississippi, it has been found that no supplies can be spared from the various military stations in that region, and the Secretary of War has therefore, after a private conference with the President, directed the Commissary of Subsistence to purchase five hundred thousand rations of meat, flour, beans and rice, and to carry the law into effect has decided to ask an appropriation of $90,000. The estimate is based on an issue to 20,000 persons for 25 days.

The name of Senator Morrill of Maine, is mentioned by those who profess to know, as not improbably the new Secretary of the Treasury.

THE GENEVA AWARD. The Geneva award bill reported from the Judiciary Committee provides for the Presidential appointment of a Court of five commissioners to adjudicate all claims which, according to the provisions of the bill, may be presented to them. These claims are restricted to such as directly resulted from damage caused by the Alabama and Florida and their tenders, and by the Shenandoah after her departure from Melbourne, and allowances are to be made only for the excess of the loss over any amount received as insurance. No allowance shall be made for unearned freights, prospective profits, or seamen's and officers' wages for a longer time than one year after the breaking up of the voyage, and no allowance shall be made to any insurance company except for the excess of its loss over its gain from war premiums. If the fund holds out interest may be paid on the amounts awarded at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and five per cent. is to be deducted from each award for expenses of the United States.

POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

Gen. Sickles will return to the United States in two months.

Sir Garnet Wolseley has stepped over the heads of 105 seniors to the rank of Major General.

There will be no split in the Republican party in consequence of this veto.—[N. Y. Tribune.

Senor Castelar has written a letter in which he declares himself in favor of the Federal Republic.

Rev. John M. McLeod, for 40 years past a Presbyterian minister in New York city, died on Monday aged 80 years.

The Emperor William in person closed the session of the Reichstag Friday, with a formal speech of no general importance.

The Grand Duke Alexis is the only member of the Imperial family who will accompany the Czar on his visit to England.

Rev O. A. Eastman, Honorary Secretary of the American Tract Society, died on Friday. He was born in Amherst, Mass., in 1796.

It is estimated that there are at least one hundred prominent anti-monopolist candidates already in the field for Congress in Iowa.

The Committee of Park street church, Boston, has agreed to report to the church and society in favor of a colleague for Rev. Mr Murray.

The Sun's Washington despatch says that arrangements are completed there for establishing a new administration morning daily in New York.

Dean Stanley's text when he preached to the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, was "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

Wm. Hunter, Second Assistant Secretary of State, has gone to Europe on official business of a somewhat general character affecting the various Legations.

Orange Judd, editor of the American Agricultural and Hearth and Home, who was reported dying in Italy some time ago, returned to New York by the last steamer, restored to health.

It is reported that Carl Schurz has accepted the editorship of a leading German daily at $10,000 per annum and will remove to New York at the end of his present Senatorial term.

It is thought that the State courts of Arkansas will not be able to settle the Governorship difficulty, and that finally either the President or Congress will be called on to recognize either Brooks or Baxter as the legal Government.

Almost every new election to fill a vacancy in the French Assembly, conveys a tangible hint to the Monarchists in that body, that if they wish to maintain their power, they must restrict the right of suffrage among their constituents.

Rev. W. T. Sabine, Rector of the Church of Atonement in Madison Avenue, New York, announced to his congregation, Sunday, that he was going to resign from the ministry of the Protestant Episcopal Church. It is stated that he proposes to join the Cummins movement.

Speaking of the coming debate on the currency question, Senator Morton is quoted as saying that the impression that this debate will be acrimonious and severe upon the President is incorrect. He has heard of no Republican Senator who does not ascribe to the President patriotic motives.

The N. Y. Sun says that Gen. James B. Craig, Sidney Webster's law partner, pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $50, Saturday, for an assault on William J. Parks, a wealthy broker. The latter has begun a civil suit against Craig for $10,000 damages. The trouble is reported to have grown out of injudicious comment upon an unfounded domestic rumor.

The Woman's Journal claims Mr. Talbot as a woman suffrage Governor. "He has," it says, "twice presided over suffrage meetings in his own town of Billerica, and has contributed both money and influence to the cause of equal rights, for which incidental gain," it adds, "let us rejoice and be thankful."

A correspondent of the Boston Globe, who has been visiting the kindergarten in that city, thus sums up the results of the system:

Children come out of the kindergarten, if it is conducted by those who understand the science, with a good knowledge of the relations and properties of small numbers, gained by continual counting of lines and squares and sticks, with an understanding of the geometrical forms—squares, oblongs, cubes, and triangles of all sorts; stick and slat laying, the making of transparent forms with peas and pointed sticks with knowledge of drawing sufficient to enable them to invent symmetrical patterns on the squared slates or paper, with much facility in little arts of manipulation that make the little fingers dextrous, with a great many pretty songs, both devotional and picturesque, with symbolical plays taught musically, with simple, easy gymnastic exercises, and, above all, with the power and habit of expressing themselves clearly and correctly. Can all this be said of the first two years, or even of the three, of primary instruction? Yet it is all accomplished without books, or any knowledge of reading, but simply by doing.

"Hope springs eternal" in the breast of Judge Kelley of Pennsylvania. That enthusiastic statesman is now confident that his scheme for a patent elastic interconvertible bond and greenback currency is just the measure on which all can unite in the present emergency. We warn Judge Kelley, however, in the kindest spirit, that this scheme is likely to be wrecked by the ugly habit the President has of sticking to his convictions. It is only in December last that the President said of such contrivances: "They look to me like compelling the Government to pay interest without corresponding benefits upon the surplus funds of the country during the seasons when they are otherwise unemployed."—[N. Y. Times.

INDIANS WITH THE FRANCHISE. Mr. Buckingham's bill to enable the Indians to become citizens of the United States provides that any Indian shall be declared a citizen of the United States who shall make application to the judge of a court of record, and make the same proof and take the same oath of allegiance as are provided by law for the naturalization of aliens, and shall also make proof to the satisfaction of the court that he has sufficient intelligence and prudence to control his affairs and interests, and that he has adopted the habits of civilized life, and has been for one year previously and is able to support himself and family. It is, however, provided that becoming a citizen shall not prevent any Indian from continuing to receive any annuity or money payment of any kind to which he may be entitled as a member of any tribe or band of Indians.

Steamer Rhode Island of the Stonington line lost a portion of one wheel house in the gale Saturday night and the smoking room, near the wheel house, was smashed in by a heavy wave. The passengers had fortunately moved from the room previously. The steamer reached Stonington at 8 A. M. Sunday.

Henry E. Emery, 28 years old, son of C. J. Emery, Paymaster at the Charleston Navy Yard, attempted to pass forged paper at the Revere House in Boston, Sunday, representing himself as Col. Fred. Grant, son of the President. He was arrested.

St. John's Guild, of New York, despite the statement of Rev. Dr. Dix that in such an event it would cease to be a parish of Trinity church, has re-elected Rev. Alvah Wiswall as master and asks his reinstatement as curate of St. John's chapel.

Special Notices.

Rising Virtue Lodge.

There will be a Stated Meeting of Rising Virtue Lodge, F. & A. M., this (TUESDAY) evening, at 7½ o'clock.
apr28

Belts and Belt Buckles,
ALL THE NEW STYLES,
—AT—
Jacob Stern & Co.
apr28 cod 2w

Crusaders Attention!

The Young Men Crusade Club will meet at TEMPERANCE Hall,
WEDNESDAY EVENING at 7 1-2 o'clock
for election of officers. All young men who wish to join before election, can do so by signing the preamble which will be open at above hall until time of meeting.
apr28 2t W. I. WOOD, Sec'y pro tem.

To Our Customers.

We have on hand a
LARGE STOCK OF SAWS & MILL FURNISHINGS
that were not damaged in the late fire, and are prepared to fill orders at low prices and with our usual promptness. We have set up an anvil in our store and can do Rehammering of Saws promptly and in good shape. We have also obtained power and room of the Hinckley & Egery Iron Co., run our Toothing Press and Polishing Machines and at the earliest possible day shall have a new and complete Saw Manufactory in full operation.
KIMBALL & SANFORD,
84 EXCHANGE STREET.
apr28 tf (Com copy)

PIQUE MATS
—AND—
LACE TIDIES
IN GREAT VARIETY,
—AT—
JACOB STERN & CO.'S
apr24

Wanted.
A CAPABLE GIRL to do general housework. Inquire at 45 Court Street.
apr17 tf MRS. JOSEPH S. SMITH.

MONEY
Wanted for a term of years, several thousand dollars, at the lowest rates, on first-class city security. Address for one week
apr24 1w A. B., Bangor P. O.

For Rent or for Sale.
Brick House on Court Street, with gas and furnace, garden adjoining with choice fruit trees. Carpets and furniture if desired. Possession given immediately.
Enquire of DR. HAMLIN.
apr 24 tf

TO LET.
A very desirable house, No. 3 Brown Street. For particulars apply to JOHN O'CONNELL, 176 Exchange Street. apr23

FOR RENT
The UPPER TENEMENT IN WHEELWRIGHT'S BLOCK, corner York and Newbury streets. A very pleasant and healthy location. Has twelve rooms, in good condition. Gas, hard and soft water, and other conveniences suitable for a large family or a boarding house. Possession given immediately.
apr22 tf GEO. A. THATCHER.

PIANOS
—AND—
ORGANS.
For quarterly or monthly payments, or for cash, at lower prices than any dealer in New England.
Call and see the New Styles.
F. S. DAVENPORT,
Warerooms, Kenduskeag Block, near the Postoffice.
jan26

HAPPY'S ROS.
PRIDE OF CUBA.
apr22 1w

H. F. Golden,
NO. 27 MAIN STREET,
Has now open a large assortment of
Ladies' Suits, Hats, Bonnets
AND
MILLINERY GOODS,
Of the Latest and Most Fashionable Styles, carefully selected from leading houses in New York and Boston, representing the
LATEST PARIS AND BELL'S FASHIONS.
Particular attention paid to the manufacturing to order of
Ladies' Suits and Garments.
Orders executed at Short Notice and at the very Lowest Prices.
H. F. GOLDEN,
NO. 27 MAIN STREET, BANGOR.
apr14 sn

For Rent.
A house on Wingate Court. Enquire of D. F. WINGATE.
apr11 tf

Just Received From
LONDON, ENGLAND.
An Invoice of the Finest
[illegible]
—BY—
THOS. JENNESS & SON.
apr22 d2w&w1t

INSIDE LINE.
Portland, Boston, Lawrence, Lowell, Lynn, Salem, Dover and Haverhill.
THREE TRIPS A WEEK.
On and after WEDNESDAY, April 1st, 1874, Steamer CITY OF RICHMOND, C. Kilby, Master, which runs between Portland and Bangor, or as far as the ice will permit, touching at all the usual landings on the river and Bay, leaves Bangor (for the present, as the river permits) MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY mornings at six o'clock.
Leaves Portland (Railroad Wharf, foot of State Street) same evenings at ten o'clock.
For further particulars enquire at the Steamer's Office, Upper Steamboat Wharf.
F. F. KENDRICK, Agent.
Bangor, March 28, 1874. tf (Com. copy.)

Dr. J. K. Lincoln,
SURGEON DENTIST,
Office—No. 2 Wheelwright & Clark's Block, West Market Square, Bangor, Me.
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MISS KITTREDGE
is closing out her Stock
At Great Discount from Cost.
apr20 4w

CITY of BANGOR BONDS
FOR SALE AT
Farmers National Bank.
apr8 sntf

SPRING OVERCOATS.
Another new lot just received at the ONE PRICE Store. Call and see them.
NO. 6 STRICKLAND BLOCK, Kenduskeag Bridge.
CHAPMAN & CO.
april23 sn 3w

DR. J. F. BABCOCK,
Graduate Penn. College Dental Surgery,
Dental Surgeon.
Reception Parlor and Operating Rooms,
Nos. 2 and 3 Kenduskeag Block,
Same floor as Mercantile Library

HANDEL ASSOCIATION.
The Second Concert by this Association will take place at
CITY HALL,
Tuesday Evening, April 28th.
An attractive programme has been prepared, consisting of Choruses from "the Peace Jubilee Sound" and popular Operas, Solos, Duets, Quartettes by the two Quartette Clubs of this city, and Instrumental pieces.
Tickets 35 cents to all parts of the Hall. For sale on Monday, April 27th, at Davenport's, Bigelow & Co's and Duren & Son's.
Doors open at 7, Concert begins at 8.
apr22 6t

SECOND HAND CARRIAGES

Now on hand at the Harlow Street Carriage Repository, and for sale at extremely low prices, an assortment of second hand Carriages, consisting of One Side Spring Top Buggy, Two Rockaways, Two Open Buggies, (Box Pattern), One Concord Wagon, Two Open Buggies (Bangor Pattern), One Cross-Spring Top Buggy, Two Trotting Sulkeys, One Trotting Wagon.
W. F. Whitton & Co.,
HARLOW STREET,
mar23 tf BANGOR, ME.

WM. FRANKLIN SEAVEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
—AND—
Solicitor of Patents,
Hinas' New Block, No. 17 Main St., Bangor.
Bangor, Oct. 26, 1872 sn MWF

The Place to Buy

PIANOS AND ORGANS
is where they keep the LARGEST STOCK of the LEADING INSTRUMENTS and sell at the LOWEST PRICES and EASIEST TERMS.
Don't Forget It.
Hardly a month passes but what we learn of some one that has been over persuaded and bought, thinking they have secured a wonderful trade, but find to their sorrow when too late that they could have bought the same goods of us for less money every time.
The time to
COMPARE PRICES
Is before you buy. We can furnish

New Seven Octave Pianos for	$225
New $800 Pianos for	400
New Five stop Organs for	120

ALL WE ASK
Of those about to purchase, is to examine our stock and our prices, for the same instruments are not lower than they can buy for at the factory in New York, Boston or anywhere else, we do not expect them to trade with us. We mean business.
Patten & Wheelden.
Instruments Rented and Rent allowed on the purchase. Pianos tuned, repaired, packed and moved at short notice.
feb21 sn

Artificial Teeth.
DR. GARDNER makes the insertion of ARTIFICIAL TEETH A SPECIALTY. With teeth made by him, one can eat, talk and laugh with confidence and the mouth and teeth look pleasant and natural. Teeth filled with gold and silver or extracted when required.
oct1 snt No. 32 Main Street.

TUBS.
FORD & GOULD,
SEBEC, MAINE.
Manufacturers of Pine and Cedar Tubs. Best in the market.
apr8 4w sn

City of Bangor.
The Joint Standing Committee of the City Council on Accounts and Claims, will be in session, at the Aldermen's Room on the SATURDAY preceding the FIRST TUESDAY of each month during the present municipal year, at 2 o'clock P. M.
Claims against the City, not presented as above, will not be acted upon until the succeeding month.
ISAAC M. BRAGG, Chairman.
All claims passed at the regular meetings of the City Council, for payment of which orders are signed by the Mayor, will be paid on and after the following THURSDAY.
JOHN L. CROSBY, Treasurer.
March 26, 1874. tf (Com copy)

SCHLOTTERBECK'S
Moth and Freckle Lotion.
A safe and sure remedy for removing Tan, Pimples, Moth Blotches, Freckles and Eruptions from the Skin, rendering it soft and fresh and imparting to it a marble purity. Price 50 cents a bottle. Prepared only by A. G. SCHLOTTERBECK & CO., Portland Me. For sale by all druggists.

A New Sensation!
The Champoo Bath.
One of the greatest luxuries of the age. Price 50 cents. At the Bathing Rooms,
31 Central Street.
Also, Hot and Cold Water and Vapor Baths.
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MARRIED.
In Exeter, April 19th, by G. S. Hill, Esq., Mr John Willard and Mrs. Emma Riley, both of Exeter.

DIED.
In Brewer, April 25th, Mrs. Agnes S. Sprague, wife of Henry C. Sprague, aged 22 years.
New York papers please copy.

LOST.
A POCKET MEMORANDUM BOOK, of no use to any one but the owner. The finder will be suitably rewarded upon leaving the same at the store of B. & J. Adams & Co., Main Street.
apr28 3t*

Wanted.
A Girl to do General Housework in a small family living a few miles out of the city.
Inquire at room No. 2 Court House.
apr18 3t

Wanted.
FIRST-CLASS HARNESS MAKERS immediately, by COLLINS, HAMILTON & CO.,
143 Water Street,
apr28 3t Augusta, Me.

Wanted.
AN AMERICAN GIRL to take care of a child six months old. Apply corner of State and Lime Streets.
apr28 tf E. B. PARKER.

Wanted.
[illegible]

LOOK OUT
FOR THE
GRAND OPENING
OF THE
ST. NICHOLAS
Dollar Store!
29 Main Street,
BANGOR.
Store formerly occupied by GEO. L. WESTGATE,
Where may be found all kinds of desirable goods such as
Hats, Caps,
Pantaloons, Gents' Under Clothing of all kinds.
—ALSO—
FURNISHING GOODS,
JEWELRY
of all patterns and the latest styles,
Silver Plated Ware
in great variety,
CROCKERY WARE, GLASS WARE,
TOILET SETS AND VASES,
POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY,
STEREOSCOPES & VIEWS,
PICTURES,
BRACKETS,
UMBRELLAS,
BRUSHES,
BED SPREADS,
TABLE LINEN.
Toys of all Descriptions,
Besides about 2000 other valuable, useful, and ornamental articles for the low price of
One Dollar.
Being entire strangers in this city, we respectfully invite the entire population of Bangor and vicinity to visit our store, and examine our extensive stock, that we may introduce ourselves and become acquainted with all.
G. W. FIELDING & CO.,
PROPRIETORS.
29 Main Street.
april28 1w*

New Store.
New Goods.
No. 11 West Market Square.
Having rented the store formerly occupied by Frank P. Wood, and had it re-fitted and renovated, we are now prepared to sell
FRUIT
—AND—
Confectionery
AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICES.
We shall always keep supplied with the Choicest Fruits the market affords, and the Best of all kinds of Confectionery. We shall also keep a line of Canned Goods, English Pickles, and Chow Chow, all of which will be sold at the lowest prices, at our new store No. 11 West Market Square. We invite all to give us a call and see for themselves. OPEN THIS EVENING, APRIL 28th, 1874.
A. L. & R. C. BOYD.
apr28 tf

FOR SALE.
The Homestead of the late Bartholomew Curran at Field's Pond in the town of Orrington, 8 miles from Bangor, containing about fifty acres of upland, with large House and Stable, all in good repair. This Farm will be sold at a bargain. For particulars, inquire of D. E. CURRAN, Administrator, No. 2, Mercantile Square.
april28 tf

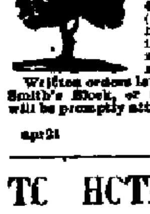
For Sale.
The Holland House so called, on Levant Road Lot, 115 by 200 feet will be sold low for cash.
apr18 2w E. P. BALDWIN.

For Rent.
The spacious and commodious Store on New Pickering Square known as the Towle Store, admirably adapted as a Wholesale and Retail Produce and Grocery Store. The market teams are located there. Rent moderate.
E. P. BALDWIN.

Also several convenient Tenements on Front and Pleasant streets, centrally located and in good repair.
apr18 E. P. BALDWIN. 5w

Grapery for Sale.
A lean-to Grapery, 82 feet long by 12 feet wide.
Apply to ALBERT EMERSON,
apr25 d&w1w 20 Summer St.

EVERGREEN.



And Deciduous Forest Trees furnished for shipment at short notice of sizes from 8 inches to 4 feet high. Also, Arbor Vitæ (White Cedar,) one to two feet high for hedges for lawns or burial lots, furnished from my nursery or from open pastures, selected for beauty and size.
Written orders left with W. E. MANN, 6 and 8 Smith's Block, or at my house 139 Cedar street, will be promptly attended to.
WILLIAM MANN.
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TO HOTEL KEEPERS
BUILDERS AND OTHERS.
Hotel Site to be Leased
AT GORHAM, N. H.
The Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada offer to lease for a term of years, to responsible parties, willing to erect a First-Class Hotel, the site formerly occupied by the "Alpine House," at Gorham, N. H., together with a Farm consisting of about 40 acres of land, in a high state of cultivation, in the immediate vicinity of the proposed hotel.
The "Alpine House," which was destroyed by fire about eighteen months ago, was situated near the Railway Depot at Gorham, and about eight miles from the "Glen House," at the foot of Mount Washington. The late tenant having retired from business, is not desirous of re-building.
The "Alpine House" was a well known and favorite resort of tourists.
The Company will be prepared to grant a lease for a long term of years, and to treat very liberally with suitable parties.
For further particulars apply to
C. J. BRYDGES,
Managing Director, Grand Trunk Railway,
Montreal.

REDUCED PRICES!
We have this day reduced the price on all our COFFEES, and are now prepared to sell them lower than any other store in the city.

LOOK!	LOOK!
GRANULATED SUGAR, - - -	10 1-2 Cts. per Pound.
EXTRA C SUGAR, - - -	10 " "
EXTRA BROWN, - - -	9 1-2 " "

ORIENTAL TEA STORE,
51 WEST MARKET SQUARE,
april tf **BANGOR.**

RAMSAY'S
PAPER PATTERNS!
The Best in the Market.
G. W. STEVENS, Agent,
No. 40 Main Street.
apr25

SPRING HAS COME,
AND WITH IT OUR LARGE STOCK OF
CARPETINGS,
ROOM PAPERS, and
CURTAIN GOODS,
The Best We Ever Had.
PRICES AS LOW AS THE LOWEST.
A. H. Roberts & Son,
NO. 5 MAIN STREET.
Bangor, April 24, 1874. 3taw1w

The Opening of the Season!
SNOW & MAYO
OPEN THIS DAY
New Cashmere Shawls at half price,
LADIES' WALKING JACKETS, latest pattern,
Best Brilliantines ever shown in Bangor,
The Cheapest Silk Pongee ever seen,
Grey Dress Goods at half the usual price.
Alpacas at Lower Prices than Auctioneer ever Struck,
FORTY PIECES WOOLENS FOR BOYS' WEAR.
CALICO APRONS CHEAP OR GIVEN AWAY.
A SPLENDID LINE OF CORSETS, GLOVES, TIES, HOSIERY, &c.
Find the Right Place and get your Money's Worth.
NO. 11, MAIN STREET, BANGOR.
SNOW & MAYO.
Apr25

E. H. FOGG,
(Successor to Fogg & Bridges)
Has just received, at the Old Hardware Stand, a
LARGE AND VARIED STOCK
—OF—
Hardware Goods,
Consisting of Building Materials, Carpenters' and Mechanics' Tools, Agricultural Implements and everything pertaining to a First Class Hardware Store.
Also a full line of Paints, and Oils, Glass, Doors, Sash, Blinds and Glazed Windows.
Bangor, April 27th, 1874. d&w

House for Sale.
Two Story House, corner Cumberland and Market Streets. Finished throughout. Terms easy. Enquire of Peter Narens, at Wilson's Carriage Factory. apr27 2w*

For Sale.
One PARLOR SETT, nearly new, will be sold at a bargain if applied for soon, at 19 Hammond St.
april27 1w*

Ladies' Under-Garments
of all kinds can be found at the
Boston Button Store
Also, a nice line of
Gent's White Shirts,
All at very low prices.
NO. 16 MAIN STREET.
apr22

R. P. STONE
Has this day opened a very large assortment of
[illegible]
JACQUELINE and other popular makes of CORSETS. A full line of
HARRIS' KID GLOVES
for Ladies and Gentlemen! Dress Goods, Housekeeping Goods, all our Cottons, Linens and Prints, we are selling VERY CHEAP.
A GREAT BARGAIN in
CASHMERE, BLACK SILK,
A new and very popular make, and to introduce to our trade, we shall offer Very Cheap.
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Meat and Fish Market,
AT BROWN & LEIGHTON'S OLD STAND.

The best assortment in Bangor of Beef, Pork, Lard, Hams, Sausages, Fresh Cod, Halibut and all kinds of Fresh Fish in their season, Also Pickled Fish of all kinds at wholesale and retail.
Thanking the public for past favors, wishes a continuance of the same.
No. 1, Pickering Square, Bangor.
GEORGE S. BROWN.
april28 tf

FOR RENT.
TWO SMALL TENEMENTS in a block, five rooms each. Near Cobb & Thompson's store. Apply to A. EMERSON, No. Summer St.

Having purchased the stock at
No. 48 Main Street,
and secured the services of a FIRST-CLASS MILLINER from Boston, I now offer a fine assortment of
Millinery and Fancy Goods,
At the lowest city prices, hoping to merit, and receive a good share of your patronage.
M. L. WALKER.
april25 tf

BONNETS,
BONNETS,
BONNETS,
The New Millinery Store
ARE RECEIVING
FRESH NOVELTIES EVERY DAY,
From the most fashionable establishments in New York, which we are willing to sell cheap. Give us a call if you wish a
Pretty Bonnet,
For a Little Money.
Nichols & Witham,
NO. 19, MAIN STREET.
apr22 tf

The Ladies
can find a very nice assortment of the
Real Garibaldi Kid Gloves,
In one and two buttons, at the
BOSTON BUTTON STORE.
The above are equal to any in the market, and we are selling them very low.
Corsets, Corsets, Corsets!
The largest assortment of corsets this side of Boston, can be found at the
Boston Button Store,
at greatly reduced prices. Call and see them.
NO. 16 MAIN STREET.
C. P. TUCKER.
apr22

Auction Sales.
C. S. PEARL,
REAL ESTATE BROKER,
COMMISSION MERCHANT AND AUCTIONEER,
No. 4 Kenduskeag Bridge.
Administrator's Sale
Valuable Real Estate,
At Public Auction!
[illegible]
ON WEDNESDAY, THE 6th DAY OF MAY,
[illegible]

For Sale.
[illegible]
april8 C. S. PEARL.

For Rent.
[illegible]

R. S. PRESCOTT
[illegible]
Commission Merchant, [illegible]
GENERAL APPRAISER,
No. 12, [illegible]

By J. B. FOSTER.
Genteel Dwelling House
AT AUCTION
On Tuesday, April 28, [illegible]
[illegible]

E. B. PATTEN
COMMISSION MERCHANT AND AUCTIONEER,
[illegible]

House for Sale!
On Fourth Street, [illegible]
April 1 4w

Just Arrived and for Sale.
[illegible]

To Let.
[illegible]

The Boston Button Store
[illegible]
HOSIERY of all kinds
Men's Cotton Socks [illegible] per pair.
Misses Hose in all grades [illegible]
Ladies' Hose all sizes and at prices ranging from ten cents up [illegible]
[illegible]

BOSTON BUTTON STORE
Store 16 Main Street.
J. P. TUCKER.

House at Auction!
On Thursday, [illegible]
[illegible]
J. B. FOSTER.

PUBLIC
OPENING,
CHOICE MILLINERY
SATURDAY 18th
—AT—
C. W. Coffin's

House Lots.
[illegible]
M. SCHWARTZ.

FOR RENT
[illegible]

FOR RENT,
FIVE ROOMS [illegible]
apr22

CARRIAGES and DESKS,
For Sale Cheap.
One Second-Hand Whitton Wagon
IN GOOD REPAIR.
One Second-Hand Top Wagon
NEARLY NEW.
Three Office Desks.
Enquire of F. P. WOOD,
No. 2 Kenduskeag Block,
BANGOR.
apr18

New P. R. Molasses,
MAPLE SYRUP
AND BUCK WHEAT FLOUR
—AT—
LEIGHTON & BAKERS
apr28 36 HAMMOND STREET

Dissolution!
The firm of Pomfret & Turner is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due said firm will be settled by the late Company.
POMFRET & TURNER.
Bangor, April 24, 1874.

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TELEGRAPHIC

TO THE

Whig & Courier.

MAINE NEWS.

[illegible]

DOMESTIC NEWS.

FORTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

First Session.

[illegible]

... Mr. Sumner as an ex[illegible] ... Mr. Sumner ... the Senate ... Mr. Windom spoke of the joint labors of Mr. Sumner and John P. Hale in the cause of anti-slavery, and said that, linked to the emancipation of four millions of slaves the memory of such men is as imperishable as the stars. After this marble pile shall have crumbled into dust and every existing political organization shall have been destroyed by the devouring hand of time, Sumner's memory [illegible] ... will be gratefully remembered ... the names on [illegible] ... worthy to be [illegible] ... motion of Mr. Anthony the Senate at [illegible] adjourned.

HOUSE.

Several bills were introduced and referred.

Mr. Frye of Maine offered a resolution directing the Committee on Reform of the Civil Service to consider carefully and report forthwith ... the subject of officers of the Senate and House with a view to remove any one ... existing. Adopted.

Mr. Hale of Maine introduced a bill amending the Shipping Commissioner act so as not to apply to sailors on steam vessels engaged in the coasting trade or lake trade, touching at foreign ports or otherwise, or in the trade between the United States and British North American possessions, or in any case where seamen are on a contract or agreement entitled [illegible] profits or results of a [illegible] voyage. Passed.

A message being received from the Senate in reference to the death of Senator Sumner, E. R. Hoar of Mass., offered a resolution that as an additional mark of respect to the memory of Charles Sumner, long Senator from Massachusetts, and in sympathy with the action of the Senate, business be now suspended in the House to allow fitting tributes to be paid to his public and private virtues.

The resolution was adopted and Mr E R Hoar addressed the House in eulogy of Senator Sumner.

Mr Hoar gave a brief history of Sumner's career to the hour of his death, which he attributed to the assault of Preston Brooks. When Mr. Sumner entered the Senate there were but two others there of the party to which he belonged, and before his death he was the leader of more than two-thirds of his party. He came to the Senate as the champion of Liberty, was called a fanatic and was not given even a place on the committees, before his death he saw a member of the persecuted race on the floor of the Senate. Mr. Sumner was thoroughly and truly an American, he believed in his country, her interests, her grandeur and her destiny.

Mr Dawes said no man can justly estimate that great public career which has so suddenly and sadly closed. Mr. Sumner reared his own monument and has left it complete; it will stand peerless through all the ages that free government and human equality shall exist on the earth, an enslaved race lifted to freedom, to citizenship and to equal rights will crown it with the garlands of fresh effort and victorious struggles toward a complete manhood.

Speeches were also made by Messrs. Lamar of Mississippi, Orth of Indiana, Rainey of South Carolina, Potter of New York, Kelley of Pennsylvania, Nesmith of Oregon, G. F. Hoar of Massachusetts, Conger of Michigan and Phillips of Kansas, and the House adjourned.

ILLINOIS.

OTOBE THEATRE BURNED.

CHICAGO, April 27. Wm. H. Harrison, late Treasurer of the Globe Theatre, which was burned early this morning, has been arrested on charge of having set fire to the building. The theatre was worth $15,000; insured for $0,000.

THE LOUISIANA FLOOD.

EXTENT OF THE DISASTER

NEW YORK, April 27 A Washington despatch says that the prominent citizens of the Southwest now in Washington represent the suffering incident to the flood in the Mississippi Valley much greater even than it has been represented by despatches from New Orleans and other points. Of 32,000,000 acres of alluvial lands capable of being planted to cotton and sugar, only about 150,000 acres are now above water. Of this area 1,000,000 acres are cotton lands, but only about 80,000 acres would have been planted. From this an average yield would have been 200,000 bales. Should the flood subside by the first of May, half the crop might be raised on part of the land. Should the water remain until the first of June, no crop at all could be produced. The probabilities are that, in any contingency, not more than 300,000 can be produced this year on these lands. Careful estimates fix the amount of sugar crop now destroyed at 40,000 acres, and this will be a total loss, the flood having destroyed last year's sprouts as well as the new cane. The suffering of the people will not end when the water subsides, for many planters will be in no pecuniary condition to go on with their work.

AID FOR THE SUFFERERS.

WASHINGTON, April 27. The Secretary of War has directed an issue of 20,000 army rations daily for twenty-five days and also a proper supply of army clothing for the use of the destitute people in the overflowed region about the Mississippi. The distribution is to be made by committees to be agreed upon by the authorities in New Orleans.

THE COST TO THE GOVERNMENT

for these issues will be ninety thousand dollars, and the Secretary has asked Congress to appropriate that amount to meet the expense.

FAVORABLE ACTION OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE.

WASHINGTON, April 27 The House Committee on Appropriations to-day agreed to report and recommend the immediate passage of a bill appropriating $90,000 to enable the Secretary of War to carry out the provisions of the bill for food issued to destitute persons suffering from the inundation of the Lower Mississippi river.

RATIONS ON THE WAY

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 27. The steamer Exporter left yesterday with 75 tons of Government rations for the Louisiana sufferers.

MORE AID FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 27 The Produce Exchange Board of Managers to-day appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions for the relief of the sufferers by the Mississippi disaster.

THE MISSISSIPPI STILL RISING

WASHINGTON, April 27 The signal office report that the Mississippi river has risen slightly during the past twenty-four hours through its entire course.

DISTRIBUTION OF CLOTHING

NEW ORLEANS, April 27 Col. H. C. Hodges, Quartermaster, U. S. A., arrived yesterday and turned over to the distributing committee for the sufferers by the overflow [illegible] caps, 27,000 pairs shoes, and 1000 blankets. The Cotton Exchange sends $2,000 contributed by citizens of Savannah.

THE TECHE CREVASSE

Reports state that the Teche crevasse is widening and the water still rising, and the indications are that Morgan's Texas railroad will be partly overflowed.

THE MAILS

The New York mail of the 22d was received to-day, but the mails of the 19th to the 21th, inclusive, are missing.

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM BOSTON

BOSTON, April 27 The contributions in this city for the Louisiana sufferers now amount to $15,000.

MORE SUPPLIES.

WASHINGTON, April 27 A telegram from Evansville, Ind., says a steamer left this forenoon with 100 tons of army supplies, including rations, blankets, clothing, shoes, etc., for distribution among the sufferers.

MASSACHUSETTS.

ANNIVERSARY OF ODD FELLOWSHIP

BOSTON, April 27 No elaborate celebration of the anniversary of Odd Fellowship took place in Boston to-day, but entertainments consisting of readings, recitations and music, in Odd Fellows' Hall took place in the evening.

THE CELEBRATION IN LOWELL.

LOWELL, April 27 The Old Fellows' anniversary was to-day celebrated in this city. The festivities began about noon, when Monomake Encampment received Nashonnon Encampment from Nashua and banquetted them at Nichols & Hutchins' new hotel. The procession formed at 1.30 and was a long and imposing one, including Monomake and Wannalancet Encampments of this city, Nashonnon Encampment of Nashua, Samaritan of Chelsea, and Mer[i]machanes, Oberlin and Vestas Lodges of this city, bands police, etc., about 2,000 men being in line. After the march an address was delivered by Rev. Robert Court, in Huntington Hall, and this was followed by two dinners, one given to the Nashonnons by the Monomakes, and another to the Samaritans by the Wannalancets.

FIRE IN MARBLEHEAD.

MARBLEHEAD April 27. The building known as "the Columbian" on Washington street, occupied for business purposes, was nearly destroyed by fire Sunday morning. Loss $5,000, mostly insured.

SUPPOSED MURDERER ARRAIGNED.

LOWELL, April 27 Patrick Donohue, accused of the murder of Moran last Fast Day, was to-day examined in the Police Court. The evidence of his guilt was conclusive and he was committed without bail to be tried at the next criminal term of the Superior Court on the fourth Monday in June.

FATAL ACCIDENT

LOWELL, April 27. Wm. Moran, brother to the man murdered on Fast Day, who testified against his assassin to-day, had both legs badly lacerated in the machinery at the Merrimac mills just before the closing hour to-night. His death is expected.

MARINE DISASTERS

EFFECTS OF THE GALE.

LEWES, Del., April 27. The brig Ocean Belle, outward bound, loaded with coal, is on Brandywine Shoal, abandoned, but her crew were saved and brought to the breakwater yesterday. The schooner W. B. Morgan is on Clark's beach and the Sea Breeze has foundered on Broadkill bar. The gale is very severe.

NEW YORK CITY.

TRIAL OF EX-CITY TREASURER SPRAGUE

NEW YORK, April 27. The trial of ex City Treasurer Sprague of Brooklyn for alleged embezzlement began to-day. A jury was easily obtained. The case was opened by the District Attorney and after some argument on counts in the indictment the evidence for prosecution commenced. W. E. Warren, the public accountant employed to investigate the Treasurer's books, testified in detail to various differences between the receipts of the Treasury and deposits in various banks.

THE JUMEL ESTATE CASE

was again before Judge Blatchford to-day on an application made by Chas. O'Conor in behalf of Mr. Chase for an injunction to restrain Bowen from further prosecuting his claim against the estate.

THE ARKANSAS IMBROGLIO.

BAXTER ONLY WANTS HIS RIGHTS.

WASHINGTON, April 27. The following has been received here:—

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 26.

To the President of the United States:—

It is not true that I have declared martial law outside of Pulaski county. Nothing has been done on my part to prevent a peaceable settlement by the Legislature. I only want to protect myself until that is done.

(Signed) ELISHA BAXTER,
Governor of Arkansas.

WASHINGTON.

THE FREEDMAN'S BANK SUSPENDS PAYMENT.

WASHINGTON, April 27. The Freedman's Bank closed its doors and suspended payment this afternoon.

THE WAYS AND MEANS INVESTIGATION

A. G. Fay was examined by the Ways and Means Committee to-day, and testified to business in connection with Sanborn since 1868. His business at first was relating to the stock of Eastern Railroads and the Adams Express Company. His going to Europe was on account of his children and when he was about going Sanborn procured him a commission from the Secretary of the Treasury as special agent. He examined the records of the Consulates mainly in relation to the undervaluation of gloves, the cases he examined being those filed by Sanborn and mostly relating to importers in New York. Fay says he made nothing by the trip. Sanborn was furnished with the list of cases. Mr. Fay said the Government paid him $5 per day and his expenses, and he [illegible] as the Committee could see. Fay also testified that he received $2,000 from Hermann, for having his case dismissed from a New York Court; also, that the $1,000 paid by Hermann to Judge Davis, was paid to the Treasury and that DeKay was instructed to enter a nolle prosequi. Never told Hermann that he (Fay) was to give part of his money to Sanborn.

"Mr. Beck—"But Hermann swore that you divided the money with Sanborn."

Mr. Fay—"I swear I never said a word to Sanborn about the case."

On cross examination Fay said that he had made no money in stocks on information from Sanborn.

THE WEATHER

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, April 28—1 A. M.

Probabilities.

Over New England, winds will shift to north and east with increasing cloudiness, and rain over the southern portion, during the afternoon or evening, rain or snow.

FOREIGN NEWS.

GREAT BRITAIN.

TEMPERANCE CRUSADE INAUGURATED.

LONDON, April 27. A whiskey crusade was inaugurated at Manchester to-day and several signatures to the pledge were obtained.

NEW BRUNSWICK

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN ST. JOHN

ST. JOHN, April 27. There was a destructive fire this morning on the north side of King's Square. Two hotels and several stores were completely gutted, upon which there is very little insurance. Several boarders had narrow escapes, and many lost all their clothing. One woman was found insensible by firemen.

A HEAVY GALE

from the northwest with snow prevailed all night.

THE MILL DIFFICULTIES.

The difficulties between the mill operatives and mill owners continues. The Employers' Association comprises nine-tenths of all the mill owners in and near St John, and they declare they will shut down every mill rather than submit to the tyranny of the trades union.

MURDER

A Frenchman named Paulin was murdered in Caraquet, Friday last, by his wife's paramour. The murderer, whose name is Gallinger, followed his victim to the woods where he was getting fence rails. Gallinger and Paulin's wife have been arrested.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

NEW YORK, April 27

MONEY at 3 a 4 per cent

GOLD closed at 113⅛.

STERLING EXCHANGE at 4 85½ a 4,88 for 60 days, and 4 89½ a 4 90 for demand.

Government securities closed at the following quotation:—

U S Fives,			116½
U S Sixes (coupons)	1881		121½
U S 5-20s	do	1862	118½
U S	do	1864	120½
U S	do	1865	121½
U S	do	1865 new (ex int)	119½
U S	do	1867	120½
U S	do	1868	119½
U S 10-40s	do		111½
Currency Sixes			116½
Central Pacific.			94½
Union Pacific, 1st mortgage			85½

Southern State securities closed this afternoon at the following quotations

Tennessee 6's,	84
Tennessee 6s, (new)	84
Virginia 6's,	30
Virginia 6's (new)	32½
North Carolina 6's	24
North Carolina 6s (new	21
South Carolina 6's	20
South Carolina 6s, (new	1
Alabama 8s,	41
Alabama 5s,	35
Georgia 6s,	77
Georgia 7's,	90
Missouri 6s,	94½
Louisiana 6s,	45
Louisiana 6s, (new)	35

The stock market closed this afternoon at the following quotations:—

Western Union 72⅞; Pacific Mail, 41⅞; Boston Water Power Company 14; N. Y. Central & Hudson River Railroad Company, 96⅞, Harlem Railroad Company 125 pfd 127; Reading R R Company 99⅞, Michigan Central Railroad Company 76½; Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad Company 76½, Illinois Central Railroad Company 101; Cleveland & Pittsburg Railroad Company 87; Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company 40¼, do preferred 65½; Chicago and Rock Island Railroad Company 98½, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Company 38, do preferred 57½; Pittsburg & Fort Wayne Railroad 91, Wabash R R 42½, pref 71; Erie R. R 35½, do preferred 51, Ohio & Mississippi Railroad 27, Boston, Hartford & Erie 1⅛.

MARKETS

NEW YORK, April 27.

COTTON unchanged — sales 447 bales — middling uplands 17⅞.

FLOUR is a shade firmer—sales 11,000 bbls.—State 5 85 a 6 55, western, 5 85 a 7.35; Round Hoop Ohio, 6,15 a 7 00, Southern, 6 40 a 11.00.

WHEAT — sales 91,000 bushels — No 2 Milwaukee, 1 57 a 1 58; No 2 Chicago, 1.51 a 1 53,

CORN is quiet — sales 112,000 bush — new mixed western, 84 a 87, old yellow western, 85 a 88.

OATS are firmer — sales 37,000 bush new mixed western, 63½ a 64½, white western, 65 a 67.

LARD firm—steam 10 13/16 a 10½.

BUTTER firm — State, 29 a 31.

Cheese quiet.

MOLASSES firm.

COFFEE unch'd — Rio, 21½.

PORK heavy New mess, 16 90 a 17 00

BEEF is quiet — Plain mess, 9 50 a 11 50; extra mess 12 00 a 13 50.

PETROLEUM firm—Crude, 7⅞

TALLOW is unch'd at 7⅞ a 7⅞.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE dull at 41,

ROSIN dull at 2 70 a 2.75.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL quiet—Cotton per steamer, ⅜ a 5 16, corn 10½d.

CHICAGO, April 27.

FLOUR is nominal.

WHEAT quiet — No. 2 Spring, 1 25 a 1.25½.

CORN is steady — No 2 mixed, 64; rejected, 62 a 63.

OATS steady—No 2, 46 a 46½.

RYE dull—No 2, 92

BARLEY nominal—No 2 Spring, 1.58 a 1 60

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

Miniature Almanac, Tuesday, April 28 h

SUN RISES	4 51	MOON SETS,	3 41 AM
SUN SETS	6 41	HIGH WATER	8 45 AM / 9 15 PM
LENGTH OF DAY	13 50		

—Plenty of hay in Piscataquis county at $10 per ton.

—To-day the spring term of Hampden Academy closes.

—The ruins of the Exchange-st. fire are still smouldering.

—One for shelter and two drunks in the lockup last night.

—Three vessels arrived at this port yesterday and five cleared.

—A runaway horse on Exchange-st. last evening created a lively scene.

—The decision as to a new trial of Reed was not announced yesterday.

—The *Press* says it is understood that every farm in Parkman is for sale.

—The snow which fell during the day and night, Sunday, nearly all disappeared yesterday.

—Those wishing to rent or purchase houses will do well to consult our advertising columns.

—Among the other seizures made Saturday was one on the premises of Dennis Reagan on Third-st.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Insurance Company will be held at their office to-day.

—Ex Mayor Bass and his brother sailed from Portland for Liverpool, England, Saturday on the steamer, Polynesian.

—General White has had his store much improved by putting in glass cases for all his goods, and a general reorganization.

—Messrs. A. L. & R. C. Boyd will open their new fruit and confectionery store, No. 1 West Market Square, this evening.

—Webster Treat, Esq., left this city last evening for a visit to California and will probably be absent two or three months.

—An engine for the Inter-colonial Railway manufactured by the Portland Company, went over the E. & N. A. road yesterday.

—Mr. Ray Duncan, agent of H. Foor & Son at Medway, leaves that position in May, and Mr. Frank Gilman of Wiscasset assumes charge of the tannery.

—The ladies of Oldtown will hold a public meeting in Town Hall this evening. The address will be addressed by Mrs. Plummer of this city and [illegible].

—The Li[illegible] chemical fire engine, was not disabled as some have supposed, at the Exchange-st. fire, but is and has been ready for duty at any time.

—We have received a neat pamphlet containing the annual reports of the President and Secretary of the Bangor Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

—Messrs. Kimball & Sanford, whose saw factory was destroyed in the Exchange street fire, are now prepared to supply their customers and do business as usual.

—Make cuttings of such varieties of currants as are wanted, and plant four inches asunder in rows two feet apart, taking care to press the earth firmly around the base of the cutting.

—The steamer Katahdin left Boston for this city last night and will arrive this forenoon. The Cambridge will leave to-night, and the boats will make regular trips hereafter as usual.

—As William Ordway was driving across the railroad track at the Maine Central depot yesterday his horse stumbled and struck his head on one of the rails, killing him almost instantly.

—Postmaster Burt of Boston, is trying to make an arrangement for a more speedy connection of the mails between this city, Portland, Boston, New York, Washington and as far South as Richmond.

—The people of Hermon Corner have petitioned the Grand Lodge F & A M, for a charter for a Lodge at that place. Should their petition be granted the new Lodge will be named Lynde Lodge.

—We learn that three ships, one of a thousand and two of five hundred tons each, are on their way to this port to load deals for Liverpool. There will probably be many others here during the summer for the same freight.

—Patents have been issued to Maine citizens as follows. M. H. Hall, Portland, Refrigerator; H. Jones, Ripley, Plow; Leonard Andrews, Saco, Rotary Blower; C. H. Clark, Carmel, Churn; Col. James Dunning, Bangor, Suspender.

—Judge Cutting will preside at the April term of the S. J. Court, which begins at Calais to-day. This morning Attorney General Plaisted and Official Stenographer Ruel Smith, leave for that city as there is a case of arson to be tried.

—If the city procures a fire alarm telegraph it will probably be arranged to strike on the bells on each side of the stream, and the sale of the alarm bell on the steamer house, then no longer needed, would produce quite a sum to help pay for the telegraph.

—We notice by an exchange that Miss Dora Wiley of this city was one of a number of pupils, selected for the occasion, who took part in the musical soiree of Mrs. Fannie Frazier Foster, given in Boston last week. Miss Wiley's fine singing was highly complimented.

—A row occurred in a saloon on Central st. last evening and quite a lively time ensued. A front window was badly damaged and when the police arrived the parties who were engaged in the fracas escaped through a back window, the doors having been locked to prevent the speedy entrance of the officers.

—The State College closes its second term to-day and there will be a vacation of a week. Prof Thwing, who was at Orono yesterday, reports that the examinations were satisfactory and reflect great credit on President Allen and his laborious assistants. There have been 103 students in college, including five ladies, during the term.

THE WEEKLY COURIER just issued contains the telegraphic, State and local news of the past seven days, a large amount of miscellaneous reading matter, market reports, etc. The usual sixteen-column supplement accompanies the number, affording readers forty-one columns devoted to the news of the week and other matters of interest. Copies in wrappers for mailing may be obtained at this office.

WHAT LIQUORS ARE FORBIDDEN. We publish by request the following section from the Revised Statutes, showing what liquors come within the pale of the law against liquor selling:—

Section 22, chapter 27. Ale, porter, strong beer, lager beer and all other malt liquors, shall be considered intoxicating liquors within the meaning of this chapter, as well as all distilled spirits, but this enumeration shall not prevent any other pure or mixed liquors from being regarded as intoxicating.

THE AROOSTOOK SETTLING LANDS. Hon. P. P. Burleigh, State Land Agent, under advice of the Governor and Council, is authorized to agree with the European and North American Railway Company upon a report or statement of facts to be submitted to the full Court for the settlement or decision of the rights of the State and of said company to lands set apart for settlement, and all questions pertaining thereto under the grant of land by the State to said company. The question is one of considerable importance to settlers in Aroostook.

SHIP-YARD CLIPS. Messrs J. E. Oakes & Sons Brewer, are running two ship-yards, having leased the "Dunning yard," and are doing a lively business in building and repairing, employing sixty men. The schooner Dora M. French, now on the stocks, is a finely modeled vessel of 165 tons, and is built in a thorough manner. She will be launched probably one week from to-day. The three-masted schooner on the stocks beside her is being rapidly pushed forward and will be, when completed, a beauty. The schooner Harbinger, which is being built at the lower yard, will be as comely proportioned and fine a vessel as hails from the Penobscot river.—The firm are doing a considerable amount of repairing at the two yards, and will undoubtedly find this a busy season. The schooners Lady Suffolk, which will be ready for sea in two weeks, the Globe, Unison of Portsmouth, Brutus and several others are undergoing repairs at their ya[rds].

ODD FELLOWS' ANNIVERSARY. The Odd Fellows of Bangor assembled last evening at Odd Fellows' Hall to celebrate the fifty-fifth anniversary of the introduction of the order into this country, and a more enjoyable affair it has never been our pleasure to chronicle. On account of the state of the roads the assemblage was not so large as it would otherwise have been, but there was just enough to make it more than pleasant. At half-past 8 o'clock Past Grand Master N. H. Colton, called the meeting to order and after stating the object of the gathering and offering a few appropriate and very interesting remarks called upon His Honor Mayor Blake, who interested the meeting with some remarks relating to his connection with the order, which ranges over a period of thirty years. Remarks were also made by P. D. G. M. E H. Fogg; P. G Goward of Washington Lodge, Dorchester, Mass.; P. G. Aaron Rowell, of Penobscot Lodge; P. G. E. A. Buck; P. G. Henry Boardman and others, when the party were invited to the banquet hall, where Fraser had spread his dainties so temptingly that it appealed to them in such a manner as to be irresistible, and his entertainment, was discussed very satisfactorily. After enjoying to their fill Fraser's entertainment the party adjourned to the rooms below and passed the remainder of the time in dancing, games, social conversation, etc., till a late hour, all agreeing that it was the most pleasant and admirably conducted anniversary celebration which the Odd Fellows have ever enjoyed. The enjoyment of the occasion was heightened by music from Andrews' orchestra, which needs no praise.

CLOSING REHEARSAL OF THE HANDEL ASSOCIATION. The last rehearsal of the Handel Association for the season was held at the City Hall last evening, and was an occasion of much interest to the members, and was largely attended. The choruses to be performed at the concerts this evening were rehearsed and were performed in a manner that gave evidence of thorough study and discipline, as well as of a love of the work by the members of the Class, and giving promise of a performance to-night not exceeded by anything heretofore presented in this city.

At the close of the rehearsal, J Swett Rowe, Esq., stepped forward, and in a few happy remarks presented, in behalf of the Association to Mr. Fred S. Davenport, an elegant conductor's baton, as a slight token of their appreciation of the able manner in which he has conducted their rehearsals during the past winter. Mr. Davenport was entirely taken by surprise at this unexpected mark of their esteem, but, as usual, was equal to the occasion, and accepted the gift in a felicitous speech, which was received with the heartiest applause.

The baton is of ebony, silver mounted and bears the inscription:—

To FRED S DAVENPORT,
from the
HANDEL ASSOCIATION,
BANGOR,
1874.

A half hour was spent in listening to songs, duetts, trios and quartettes by members of the Class, after which the President of the Association, Hon. John E. Godfrey, referred to the great progress which the Association had made in its first season, and paying a well merited tribute to Mr. and Mrs. Davenport for the manner in which they have presided over the baton and piano during the season. Judge Godfrey alluded to the progress which has been made in the art of music in this city since the organization of the first musical society here fifty years ago, and read the programme of the concert given by them at that time, which was received with much merriment. It would hardly come up to the requirements of a Bangor audience of to-day. It was voted to have a social reunion two weeks from to-night, and to make an excursion during the coming Summer.

Dea E F Duren referred feelingly to the death during the winter of Mr. Ralph C. Brown, a member of the Class, and presented appropriate resolutions, which were adopted by a rising vote. He also referred to the death of Mr. Solon Wilder, a man endeared to the musical portion of the community for his high moral character, his genial social qualities, and his love for his chosen art, which he displayed during his residence among us by giving a new impetus to the then flagging condition of music, and in bringing out the youthful vocalists among us who have since grown up to be our leading singers. He concluded by presenting a series of resolutions, which were ordered to be placed on the minutes and a copy sent to the family of the deceased, but the publication of which, as well as of the preceding resolutions we are obliged to defer this morning.

It was then voted that the Association adjourn subject to the call of the Board of Management.

The concert this evening will be a fine one, and as the capacity of the City Hall is limited, those wishing to procure tickets should secure them early. Following is the

PROGRAMME.

Chorus—Festival Hymn	Buck
Song—The Iron Blacksmith	Hatton
Mr Geo. Moody.	
Serenade—Sing, Smile, Slumber	Gounod
Miss Hattie Rich with Violin Obligato by M. H. Andrews	
Duett—The Fishermen	Gabussi
Mr. Holbrook and Mr. Purrington	
Song—Absence	Pease
Mr Gardner.	
Duett—Love's Dream	Mozart
Mrs W F Shaw and Mr. W. Patten	
Song—La Separazione	Rossini
Miss F Smyth.	
Chorus—Farewell to the Forest	Mendelssohn
Quartette—The Brook Miller Sing	
Messrs. Holden, Curtis, Sullivan and Barrows	
Aria—Ah Mon Fils	Meyerbeer
Mrs. J. A. Crowell.	
Song—The Caliph's daughter	Hatley
Mr. G. Purrington.	
Song—La Primavera	Torry
Miss Nellie Chapman.	
Violin Solo—Scene de Ballet	De Beriot
Mr. M. H. Andrews.	
Song—Sing Sweet Bird	Ganz
Miss Helen Osgood.	
Duett—Say Once Again	Donizetti
Miss Bartlett and Mr. Holbrook.	
Pilgrim Chorus, from Lombardi	Verdi
Conductor	F. S. Davenport
Pianist	Mrs. F. S. Davenport

BANGOR POLICE COURT.

BEFORE JUDGE GOODENOW.

Monday, April 27th. State vs. John Donahue; drunkenness; fined $5 and costs; committed in default of payment.

State vs. Archer McMannus; assault on Peletiah Woodbridge; fined $10 and costs.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

WOMAN, LOVE AND MARRIAGE We have received from the publishers, Messrs G. W. Carleton & Co, N. Y. city, a volume with the above title by Frederick Saunders, who is well known as a graceful and accomplished writer. In this work his original and finished style adds to its merits. Though the subject of love and marriage is a frequent theme of discussion and conversation, there is in the work no threadbare ideas, and to many readers it will be of interest.

POEMS OF TWENTY YEARS is the title of a little volume of poems by Laura Winthrop Johnson, which are full of tender pathos and melody. The lovers of poetry will find much in the volume to admire, especially on reading it for a second and third time. De Witt C. Lent, Publisher, 451 Broome street, New York. For sale by Messrs. D. Bugbee & Co.

FETTERED FOR LIFE, or Lord and Master, a novel by Lillie Devereux Blake. This story will with many readers receive a careful reading and prove very entertaining, yet in some respects it is lacking. The pictures of life as presented in its pages are in some particulars overdrawn, which causes the reader to pass by merits that it has and regard the whole as too highly colored. There are many stories, however, that receive the praise of readers, when they are not really as deserving as is this one. Sheldon & Co., Publishers. For sale by Messrs. D. Bugbee & Co.

NEW MAGAZINES.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for May is a most excellent number and contains besides its well selected reading matter, a fine engraving and the usual monthly fashion plate, finely colored. The magazine fully deserves the high place it holds in the esteem of the ladies. L. A. Godey, Publisher, Philadelphia.

THE SCIENCE OF HEALTH for May is an excellent number. Among the subjects treated are those of Tobacco, as a cause of disease, Human Physiology, with illustrations; Disease and its Treatment by Hygienic agencies; also, showing the *modus operandi* of Poisons; Care of Babies; Proverbs Regarding Drunkenness; How often shall we Eat? Delicately Nourished; Spring Maladies; Openings for Hygeian Homes; Lectures to Ladies; Useful Recipes, Household Hints, and Replies to Correspondents on a variety of subjects. This magazine is published at $2.00 a year. On trial, three months, 25 cents. S. R. Wells, Publisher, 389 Broadway, New York.

The May number of OLD AND NEW contains a good selection of things entertaining and profitable. The most important paper is the completion of Rev. James Martineau's discussion of the four assumed "notes" or marks which, as the Roman Catholic Church asserts, prove its claims to divine authority. Mr. Hale's Introduction regrets the delay in paying over the Alabama Claim Money; and there are other editorials, one on the question of Industrial co-operation, and one on the choice of books to read. Besides the two serial novels, there is the first half of a striking story by Turgenieff, and another story by Moritz Jokai, the famous Hungarian writer. Of the poems in the number, the bouquet is a peculiar narrative of the cruel magistrate of certain towns belonging to a certain Miss Green, a story which smacks very strongly of what somebody called "the abbysinthous question." Roberts Brothers, Publishers, 143 Washington street, Boston.

The May number of AMERICAN HOMES contains a good instalment of excellent poetry, short stories, sketches of travel, etc. The magazine has on its list of contributors some of the best writers of the day, and its readers always find it interesting and profitable. Henry L. Shepard & Co., Publishers, Boston.

The May ALDINE is as fresh and beautiful as the month it represents, filled to the brim with choice flowers of art and literature. The illustrations are, as usual, not mere woodcuts to fill the pages, but engravings that possess real merit. The opening one, The Dying Hound, by John S. Davis, is a touching picture evidently from life. There are three large and splendidly-drawn pictures of scenes in Florida and several others that make up the usual number. The reading matter includes a greater variety and excellence than usual. Annie Hudson opens the number with a long and musical poem called My Round Tower in the West; Kate Putnam Osgood tells the story of A Little Fool; Henry Morford has a touching poem, The Sightless Eyes; Jacob L. Mayer gives a very interesting account of A Visit to Erckmann-Chatrian; A. H. Cady tells in a new form The Old, Old Story; Mrs. L. M. Blinn sings of The Beautiful By and By. These are by no means all the articles that are worthy of note, but space will not admit of a complete reference to the contents. James Sutton & Co., Publishers, 58 Maiden Lane, New York city.

NEWS BREVITIES.

E. H. Perley of Lowell, Mass., hanged himself Monday morning.

A rumor is current that the Carlists have asked Serrano for amnesty.

The Fourth New Jersey Regimental Armory in Jersey City was burned Sunday night. Loss $10,000

John Bohlen, a prominent Philadelphia lawyer, died Sunday, from injuries received by falling from a horse.

Patrick Ward was found dead of exposure and exhaustion in the road in North Smithfield, R. I., on Sunday.

Steamship Teutonia, from Havre for New York, which put into Southampton with her shaft broken, has been docked for repairs.

The London accountants appointed to investigate the books of the Erie Railway Company will sail for New York on Wednesday.

The schooner Jane D. McCarthy, of Philadelphia, from Boston, went ashore at Sandy Hook Saturday evening. The crew were saved.

The steeple of the Congregational church in Bennington, Vt., 100 feet high, was blown down by the gale Sunday, crushing a house in its fall.

The number of failures in the United States for 1872 was 4,069, total liabilities $121,056,000; for 1873, 5,183; total liabilities, $228,491,000.

Two houses in course of construction on Mifflin st. Philadelphia, were blown down, and also a house in Frankfort, by the gale on Sunday.

The Suez Canal difficulties have been settled by M. de Lesseps' acceptance of the tonnage rates prescribed by the International Commission.

During a fight in Norfolk, Va., Sunday, among intoxicated men and policemen a young man named John Galyent was fatally shot by Tobias Nottingham.

A Rome despatch states that the secretary of Count Miraflori and a Turin merchant were assassinated and plundered in a railroad carriage between Alessandria and Stradello.

Of 130 estimates of cotton crop 73 were opened at the Memphis Cotton Exchange Saturday. The highest was 4,51,000 bales and the lowest 3,80,000 bales; average 4,132,000 bales.

Another baby brokerage concern has been discovered in Charles st., New York, at which prices range from thirty to one hundred dollars for children from two weeks to four years old. "Perfect titles guaranteed."

A bill has been reported in the Massachusetts Legislature requiring every railroad corporation in the State to uniform all its employes whose duties relate to the immediate transportation of passengers or their baggage.

The United States and Mexican Commission has dismissed eleven claims against Mexico mostly arising from acts of the so called Zuloaga and Miramon Governments of 1858-59-60, for which the Commissioners decline to hold the Constitutional Government of Mexico responsible.

John Sullivan, who on the 22d of November, shot and killed James Mulhane, and John Geary, who two weeks ago killed Michael Kavanagh during a fight in an oyster saloon in New York, and who were at the time acquitted by the coroners juries, have since been indicted and arrested.

It is asserted that 2,000 Springfield rifles, 13,000 rounds of ammunition and several cases of pistols have been shipped from St. Louis in a secret manner for the use of Brooks' forces at Little Rock, Ark., since the difficulties broke out. It is also said that five car loads of provisions have been shipped to the same parties.

The ship Courser, from New London, was driven ashore during a gale on Hart's Island and capsized. Captain Charles Vail and the cook, named Bogardus, were washed overboard and drowned. Two seamen were also thrown into the water, but grasping a piece of floating timber clambered on the ship which immediately righted.

BUSINESS ITEMS

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

CREDITORS MEETING.

By virtue of an order from the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine the second and third general meeting of the creditors of Albert H. Walker, bankrupt, will be held at Bangor, in said district, on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1874, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the Bankrupt Court Room, in Bangor, before Charles Hamlin, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, in said District, for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth sections of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d, 1867.

H. L. MITCHELL, Assignee.

Bangor, April 6th, 1874. 2W24

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate [illegible] A. D. 1874.

Upon the petition of William M. Butters, of Corinna [illegible] of Exeter, in said County, deceased, testate, that administration of the estate of said deceased, with the will annexed, may be granted to Benjamin Frost, of Exeter, [illegible]

ORDERED, That said petitioner give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order thereon to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, [illegible] County, to be held at the Probate Office in Bangor, on the [illegible] be [illegible] why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

JOHN E. GODFREY [illegible]

A true copy—Attest [illegible]
14 [illegible], Register

U. S. PATENT OFFICE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April [illegible], 1874.

On the petition of [illegible] of Bangor, Maine, praying for the extension of a patent granted to them [illegible] 1860, for an improvement in [illegible], it is ordered that the testimony in the case be closed on the 23d day of June next, that the time for filing arguments and the Examiner's report be [illegible] day of July next, and that said petition be heard on the [illegible] day of July next.

Any person may oppose this extension.

M. D. LEGGETT, Commissioner

April [illegible] 3w

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[illegible] containing about ninety acres, well [illegible] pasturage [illegible] cuts about thirty five tons of hay. The buildings are [illegible] and convenient [illegible] two [illegible] miles from Bangor, [illegible] apply soon.

[illegible] ROGERS, Adm'r.

To the Hon. County Commissioners of the County of Penobscot:

The undersigned [illegible] of Stacyville [illegible] represent that the [illegible] the dwelling house [illegible] Swift [illegible]

WILLIAM [illegible] ORESTE [illegible]

STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT, ss. [illegible] April term A. D. 1874.

Upon the foregoing Petition, [illegible] ordered that the petitioners are responsible, and that they ought to be heard touching the matter set forth in their petition, and therefore ordered that the County Commissioners meet at the [illegible] in Stacyville, [illegible] MONDAY the [illegible] day of June, next, at [illegible] o'clock, [illegible] proceed to view the route mentioned in said petition, [illegible] a view of the premises [illegible] convenient place in the vicinity, [illegible] further measures taken in the premises as the Commissioners shall judge proper. And it is further Ordered, that notice of the time, place and purpose of the Commissioners' meeting aforesaid, be given to all persons and corporations interested, by serving attested copies of said petition and this Order thereon, [illegible] Stacyville Plantation [illegible] and by posting up attested copies as aforesaid, in three public places in each of said towns, thirty days at least before the time appointed for such view, and also by publishing the Petition and Order thereon, three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, the first publication to be thirty days at least before the time of said view, that all persons and corporations interested may attend and be heard if they think fit.

Attest, F. E. BRETT, Clerk.

A true Copy of the Petition and Order thereon.

Attest, [illegible] F. E. BRETT, Clerk.

To the Honorable County Commissioners of the County of Penobscot.

The undersigned, residents of Prentiss, Carroll, Springfield, Drew and Webster Plantations, in said County of Penobscot, [illegible] represent that the public require that the county road [illegible] by the Commissioners in 1869, from the town road in Prentiss, to or near the dwelling house of A. B. Page in Drew Plantation, should be continued to the Lincoln [illegible] Station on the E. & N. A. Railroad. We therefore request your Honors to view said road and locate a road from the terminus of the [illegible] road near A. B. Page's [illegible] and as in duty bound will ever pray.

EBENEZER AVERILL and [illegible] others

STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of County Commissioners, April Term A. D. 1874.

Upon the foregoing Petition, it is considered by the Commissioners that the petitioners are responsible, and that they ought to be heard touching the matter set forth in their Petition, and therefore Ordered, that the County Commissioners meet at A. B. Page's dwelling house in Drew Plantation, in said County of Penobscot, on FRIDAY, the 12th day of June next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and thence proceed to view the route mentioned in said petition; immediately after which view a hearing of the parties and witnesses will be had at some convenient place in the vicinity, and such further measures taken in the premises as the Commissioners shall judge proper. And it is further ORDERED, that notice of the time, place and purpose of the Commissioners' meeting aforesaid, be given to all persons and corporations interested, by serving attested copies of the Petition and this Order thereon, upon the clerk of the town of Kingman & Drew Plantation [illegible] and by posting up attested copies as aforesaid, in three public places in each of said towns, thirty days at least before the time appointed for such view and also by publishing the Petition and Order thereon, three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County the first publication to be thirty days at least before the time of said view that all persons and corporations interested may attend and be heard if they think fit.

Attest, F. E. BRETT, Clerk.

A true copy of the Petition and Order thereon,

Attest, [illegible] F. E. BRETT, Clerk.

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